

Town of Shrewsbury
Park & Cemetery Commission Meeting
Monday, February 12, 2007

Present: John H Bowles, Chairman, Commissioners Vigliatura and Bisceglia & Director Angela Snell. Meeting called to order at 7:00 P.M.

Minutes from previous two meetings to include Prospect Park meeting were accepted as printed. Bill schedules and payrolls reviewed.

Parks New Business:

Discussion regarding Prospect Park. Mr. Christopher Kirk, Director of Friends of Prospect Park has submitted a letter to Architectural Access Board, Dept of Public Safety to re-create a public garden viewing area with walking trails. Commissioners agree that committee needs to come before Parks Commission with further plans.

Request from Michael Fishbein, representative from The Massachusetts Society-Sons of the American Revolution requesting event at Dean Park and Mt View Cemetery on June 30th. Event to be co-sponsored with Artemas Ward Museum. Commissioners agree group should be charged for police detail and any maintenance fees. Director Snell to work out details with group.

Little League representatives Nick Maruca and Paul Rezuze request to place walk in storage containers at Dean Park and Maple Ave fields. Commissioners agree that storage containers should they agree to request that bins have no advertising on them. Commissioners agree to inspecting possible sites at both locations and will get back to them.

Representatives also request permanent outfield fence around Edgemere baseball field. Commissioners agree to look at field and will get back to them.

Discussion with representatives regarding lights at Oak Middle field. Representatives told they would need to talk to School Dept. regarding that matter.

Discussion regarding up-dated CORI check forms.

Director Snell informs Commissioners that Rules & Regulations have been sent out to all local food vendors via the Board of Health informing them they are not allowed to sell on town parks property.

Parks Old Business:

Nothing to report.

Cemetery New Business:

Up-date on Cemetery Trust Fund and warrant articles. Director Snell informed the Commission that according to the Town Accountant, money from warrant articles is to be taken out of trust fund at time of approval from town meeting and set up into a budget account. Commission wanted to see funds come out of trust fund at time of purchase so they wouldn't lose any interest on the trust fund.

Discussion regarding columbarium. Commissioners agree to meeting at Rural Cemetery to review what they have in place in the spring.

Cemetery Old Business

Nothing to report.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45PM. Next meeting will be Monday, March 12, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

Jean C. Giles, Clerk